North Carolina Genetic Service Providers

To make a referral, contact one of the genetic service providers below:

Asheville

Fullerton Genetics Center • 11 Vanderbilt Park Drive Asheville, NC 28803

(828) 213-0022

Toll free (888) 810-2800

Fax (828) 213-0039

Chapel Hill

Dept. of Pediatrics

Division of Genetics and Metabolism

University of North Carolina • CB 7487

Chapel Hill, NC 27599-7250

Clinical (919) 966-4202

Prenatal (919) 966-2229

Charlotte

Clinical Genetics Center • Carolinas Medical Center P.O. Box 32861 • Charlotte, NC 28232-2861

Clinical (704) 381-6810

Prenatal (704) 355-3149

Durham

Dept. of Pediatrics • Division of Genetics Duke University Medical Center

P.O. Box 3528 • Durham, NC 27710

Clinical (919) 684-2036

Prenatal (919) 684-3604

Greenville

Dept. of Pediatrics • Division of Genetics Brody School of Medicine • East Carolina University Greenville, NC 27858-4354 (252) 744-2525

Winston-Salem

Division of Medical Genetics Wake Forest University School of Medicine Medical Center Boulevard Winston-Salem, NC 27157-1076 Clinical (336) 713-7573 Prenatal (336) 713-7530

Genetic services are offered at the medical centers above and at satellite clinics throughout North Carolina. For more information, call or write the genetic provider nearest you.

Reasons to Obtain Genetic Services:

General

- + Birth defects
- + Abnormal genetic test results
- ♣ Physical differences (unusually short or tall, skeletal/bone deformities, abnormal head size or shape, unusual facial or body appearance, abnormal growth of hands, fingers, feet, toes, hair or skin pigment)
- Developmental delays or mental retardation without a known cause
- + Blindness or deafness
- + Known genetic disorder in the family
- ★ Inherited disorders that place adults at risk (cancer, kidney disease, Huntington's disease)
- Abnormal sexual development (incomplete/ambiguous genitalia at birth, early or delayed puberty)

Pregnancy-related

- Use of illegal drugs, alcohol and certain prescription medications during pregnancy
- + Woman's age of 35 years or older at delivery
- ♣ Risks for particular genetic conditions based on family history, race or country of origin
- → Women with diabetes or epilepsy
- ♣ Previous child with birth defect(s) or known genetic disorder
- + Abnormal results of prenatal screening
- ★ Women with three or more miscarriages, stillbirths or other pregnancy losses
- + Sexual partners who are closely related to each other



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